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In re application :

Malcom B. Strandberg

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING AN AUTOMATIC TELEPHONE CALL BACK TO A TELEPHONE LINE BEING USED TO ACCESS A

COMPUTER NETWORK

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RESPONSE

Applicant appreciates the examiner's review of the present application and respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the following remarks.

The examiner has rejected claims 1, 3-6 and 8-14 under 35 USC \$103(a) as being unpatentable over Bateman et al. in view of Grossman et al., Srinivasan and Nichols et al. Applicant